

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: John Francis Marentette

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Title: PASSIVELY VARIABLE PLENUM VOLUME FOR A VEHICLE  
INTAKE MANIFOLD ASSEMBLY

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on October 10, 2006. Please amend the application in the following particulars.